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## VENGEANCE

Taken Upon the Assailant of President Diaz.

## WAS LYNCHED LAST NIGHT.

Alarming Situation at Hazelton. The Women Leading the Rioters.

## FEDERATION OF LABOR WILL ACT.

City of Mexico, Sept. 17.—Ignacio Anulfo, the assassin of President Diaz, was lynched last night by a furious mob.

Anulfo was a notary's clerk and the assault was committed during a military procession.

The President was marching on foot in the parade and as he neared the central part of the city Anulfo forced his way through the gendarmes and struck at the President, but missed him, as he crowded between president and cabinet officers, who immediately closed around the president. Before Anulfo could strike again Goya Pradillo dealt him a blow which felled him. The gendarmes then pounced upon him and carried him to jail, followed by a shouting people. No weapon was found on the prisoner, but it is believed that he struck at the president with a pistol.

## WOMEN RIOTERS.

## Incite Men to Deeds of Violence

And Desperation.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 17.—The striking miners and their wives are committing many degradations, assaulting and assaulting each other. Seats have been assaulted and their houses burned. The situation is still very serious, and trouble may occur at any time.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 16.—The American Federation of Labor has taken up the cause of the mine workers in this region. Their organizers are already at work here and when this has been completed a uniform scale will be formulated and presented to the operators. There will be no marching nor anything in the nature of a demonstration, and no attempt will be made to bring about sympathetic strike movements.

Change Color of Postage Stamps.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The secretary of the treasury and the postmaster general, after consultation with the president, have decided to change the color of the current 2¢ postage stamp from carmine to green, of the shade now used on government notes. The 10¢ postage stamp, which is now printed in green, will be changed to some other color, possibly carmine. It is thought that green is a more desirable color than carmine, besides saving the government about \$10,000 in the difference in cost between the two inks.

## NO DANGER

Says President Troutman of the Board of Health.

The City Has Been Placed In Excellent Sanitary Condition.

Dr. Troutman, president of the local board of health, when asked his opinion as to the danger of yellow fever reaching here, stated that he had no reason to think such would occur.

"We are out of the yellow fever territory," said the doctor, "and unless it is imported here there seems but little danger."

"I wish you would say for the information of the people that proper steps are taken to watch closely all persons arriving in our city, either by boat or rail, and no infections or contagious diseases will be permitted to land here. The board of health has had the city carefully inspected, and back premises and alleys cleaned and renovated every three or four weeks, and the general sanitary condition of the city is good—in fact better than it has been for years. A few of the gutters have been in bad condition because of their improper construction, but especial attention has been called to these, and the mayor is now having them attended to."

"There has been an unusual growth of vegetation this year, and the season has been remarkable for its extreme heat. As a consequence, unbridled attacks may be expected to some extent, but there will be no epidemic. With the precautions already taken and a continuation of the sanitary work, I feel safe in saying there will be no yellow fever, or any other epidemic."

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## School House.

The new school house at Oaks has been completed, and Sunday Rev. J. Henry Baltine will make the dedicatory speech. Prof. Floyd Riley begins school there next Monday.

## FOR BRIBERY

Dr. Hunter and His Friends Are On Trial.

## PROSECUTION ACQUITS TANNER.

Strong Circumstantial Evidence Introduced to Prove the Charge.

## THE CASE WILL LAST SEVERAL DAYS.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 17.—The long expected trial of ex-Congressman W. G. Hunter, ex-Congressman J. H. Wilson and E. T. Franks, charged with conspiring to bribe, began yesterday, in the circuit court.

When the clock struck 10, the motion hour having been completed, Judge Cantrell announced that the Hunter case was the next.

Dr. W. G. Hunter, E. T. Franks and J. H. Wilson, the defendants, were present. Noel Gaines and Thomas Tanner, prosecuting witnesses, as well as defendants, came in during the preliminary proceedings. Prominent among the witnesses early on hand was United States Senator Deboe. For Hunter, Franks and Wilson, Judge W. S. Pryor, John W. Rodman, John Feland, James A. Scott appeared as attorneys. For Gaines and Tanner, Judge Ira Julian and Guy H. Briggs acted as counsel.

The attorneys for Gaines and Tanner asked a separate trial for them, but the court overruled their motion. The Commonwealth then moved that the indictment against Tanner be dismissed at its present. Tanner is an important witness for the prosecution. After the reading of the indictment and the selection of the jury, Court adjourned until 2 p.m.

Upon reconvening of court in the afternoon, Gaines' attorneys resumed their fight for a separate trial for Gaines, but were again overruled. The Commonwealth called Thomas Tanner, the dismissed defendant, as its first witness. Tanner, when questioned by Commonwealth's Attorney Smith, said that he knew all the defendants and also Representatives Clark, Gossom and Johns. He was then asked the direct question if he knew of any effort to bribe any member of the Legislature.

He said he knew of such an effort. He said he had been approached by Mr. Wilson, who said he wanted to talk to him about buying some votes. Tanner, in a straightforward way, told how some one telephoned him to come to the Capitol Hotel April 1; that he saw Dr. Hunter there, and Dr. Hunter asked him to show him the way to Gaines' house; that he walked in front of him, showed him the way there, and sat in a dining-room, adjoining a library where Hunter and Gaines sat. He heard but a part of the conversation. Many who had heard that Hunter would swear he never was at Gaines' house, or in Frankfort, in his life, twitted with suppressed excitement, while Tanner told the story of Hunter's visit to Gaines.

Witness told minutely of the separate entrance by which they left the hotel that night. He told how he took Wilson over to Gaines' after he had told him what he wanted to see Gaines about. He said with Gaines and Wilson in Gaines' library, Wilson said they wanted votes and no foolishness and would pay \$5,000. Later, at another visit, he showed Gaines three packages of money containing \$5,000 each. He said Wilson wanted to put the money in the safe of Mr. M. P. Gray, a local merchant and Republican.

Wilson would not agree to anything, but said he would stay in Gaines' house and hold the money till the votes were gotten; said they could hold a pistol on him if they wanted to. This arrangement didn't satisfy Gaines. He said he had a hundred conversations with Franks about buying the votes. Never could reach an agreement among themselves about where the money should be placed. Gaines always told them that he thought it could be done if the money was forthcoming. Franks told him originally that he thought Gossom, Clark and Johns could be bought; said that Johns wanted \$10,000, but he thought he could be bought for less.

State Senator Clark told of seeing Dr. Hunter on the night of April 1 on the street between the Capital Hotel and South Frankfort with a gentleman who he had since learned was Mr. Tanner and whom he at that time mistook for Senator Deboe. There is a marked resemblance between Senator Deboe and Mr. Tanner.

It is, of course, impossible to say what Dr. Hunter's testimony will be, but it is known that in private conference he still insists that he was never at Gaines' residence. The evidence on this point is in favor of Gaines, and Gaines' story that he was there and on the night of April 1 was considered very strong by many popular people.

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proved, his story about Hunter's visit and his own motive in the matter. Hunter's friends and some who have not hitherto been his friends, sympathize with him now that he is down. It is told by one of his attorneys that Hunter is well-nigh penniless, but this does not agree with what Dr. Hunter has recently said. The trial will require several days yet, if the defendant introduce any part of the big array of witnesses they have summoned.

## NATIONAL NOTORIETY

Is What Ed McKeever Has Come Into.

He Is a Former Paducah Man.—An Interesting Story.

Ed McKeever, well known in Paducah, where he formerly lived, has come into almost national notoriety by attempting to prove, at St. Louis, that Ethiopian blood courses through his veins.

McKeever is probably the first man in America who ever tried to prove that his ancestry included negroes, says the St. Louis Star.

There are numerous instances of people suspected of African origin who have struggled earnestly to show that they were Caucasians; but the spectacle of a fair-complexioned American who disclaims the opportunities for association with whites and heralds to the world that he is of Ethiopian lineage is as unusual as it is interesting.

Of course, Cupid is responsible. If McKeever did not want to wed a brown-hued Susie Campbell it is probable he would never have assumed the queer role he is now enacting.

The Missouri law forbids the intermarriage of whites and negroes.

Marriage License Clerk Bilharz was seized with consternation when the couple applied to him Monday.

Pointing sternly to the statute that prohibits in the strongest manner the practice of miscegenation, Bilharz asked the intending groom what he meant.

"Why, I'm not altogether white," McKeever answered. "I'm one fourth-colored."

Bilharz opened his eyes wider.

One forty-four colored!" he repeated as if in a trance. Then he recovered his self-possession and said that he could not issue the license until McKeever presented proof of his Ethiopian descent.

McKeever and his fiancee went in search of Capt. W. E. Egan, of the government light-house boat Lily, on which the prospective groom is employed as "Texas tender." They intended to get from Capt. Egan a certificate verifying McKeever's claims.

But there was a hitch and the couple have not yet renewed their application here for a license.

To a "Star" reporter, McKeever talked willingly, but with ill-concealed embarrassment.

"I'm in my thirty-third year," he said. "My mother died when I was three years old, and, consequently, I don't know just how she looked.

Several years ago a St. Louis gentleman went to considerable trouble to investigate my ancestry and he made out a genealogical tree showing that I am one-forty-four colored.

"Who is he?" Well, I can't tell that. No; neither do I care to say what his interest in me is. He is a man of some consequence here, and I feel that he would be averse to having his name printed in connection with this matter."

All Susie Campbell would say was that she came here from Nashville last week to marry Wilson.

McKeever does look in any way like a negro. His complexion is that of any ordinary sun-stained white man. His features lack the flatness characteristic of the negro. The nose is well defined as that of a white man.

Passenger conductors of the Illinois Central are required to report the number of passengers into Paducah to Trainmaster J. J. Flynn. North-bound trains send report by telegraph from Kuttawa, and southbound conductors report to the Union depot baggage agent. The order went into effect yesterday, and its purpose is not stated.

The stockholders of the Illinois Central have ratified the proposed issue of \$20,000,000 gold bonds on the Louisville division, to be secured by a first mortgage on the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern and other property controlled by the Central. This places the Louisville division on the same basis as other parts of the system.

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Mr. Cole Waggoner, foreman at the Illinois Central pile driver, sprained both hands yesterday by a fall from the trestle.

Mr. W. A. Russell, formerly general passenger agent of the St. Paul and Duluth railroad, has been made chief clerk in the passenger department of the Illinois Central railroad's southern division, with headquarters in Louisville. He succeeds Mr. S. W. Wells, who formerly occupied the position of chief clerk of Mr. W. Alfred Kellond. Mr. Wells is now on his vacation, and it is not yet settled what position he will take on returning work.

Mr. Russell is filling one of the best places in the Southern department, since Mr. Kellond has jurisdiction over about 2500 miles of road.

Newbern, Tenn., today quarantined against people from the South. There is said to be considerable excitement there.

Baggagemaster Clayton, of the St. Louis division, was painfully injured yesterday at Carbondale, Ill., while coupling cars.

Claim Agent John G. Miller, returned yesterday from Chicago.

Mr. Wm. H. Hassman, the new Master Mechanic, arrived from Water Valley, Miss., this morning, and assumed charge of I. C. shops, succeeding Mr. Chambers. Mr. Hassman is an old Paducah railroader, and is very popular with everybody. His family accompanied him.

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Councilmen: First Ward, E. E. BEHLL and W. J. WHITE; Second Ward, H. C. ALLISON and G. B. COOPER; Third Ward, WM. BORNEMANN and O. B. SPARKS; Fourth Ward, T. P. CARTER and L. F. KOLB; Fifth Ward, CHRIS LEIBER and JACOB ZIEGLER; Sixth Ward, G. M. OEHLSCHLAGER and J. T. QUARLES.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Commonwealth's Attorney: Sam Houston is a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney for the Second judicial district comp't of McCracken and Marshall counties at the November election.

The Democratic papers in Louisville are having lots of fun at Mayor Todd's expense. But it is much more than probable that the Mayor will have the laugh on them after the November election.

We have learned, and others will have to learn, that in the end it is capital which costs that makes wealth which lasts. It is true that we may make a capital which does not cost, but it is a dangerous demon, and the harness is expensive and the break-ups frequent. — Hon. Thomas B. Reed.

In the citation from Mr. Bryan's address you may have noticed the statement that the farmers will continue in debt unless "free silver comes. Not only that, but also that they will accumulate a heavier burden of debt. How well does that predictably with the results of this year?" — Gov. Bushnell.

An exchange suggests that if Bryan takes silver dollars in payment for his speeches when he goes to Mexico and demands that they be counted on a gold basis he will have to take a box car along to carry them. At \$1,500 a speech, and the dollars worth only forty cents, he would get \$750 of them for each oration."

The great free silver camp meeting that convened Wednesday at Springfield, Ohio, has proved to be somewhat of a fiasco. Great preparations had been made by both the citizens of Springfield and the promoters of the movement. It seems, however, rather difficult to arouse much enthusiasm for free silver in this era of good times.

The figures of our agricultural exports are certainly imposing. In the fiscal year ending in 1894 the

amounted to \$628,363,038, in 1895 to \$553,219,026, in 1896 to \$569,207, and in 1897 to \$683,878,993. Prices, however, have shown a wide variation. In 1892 we sold to foreigners 75,451,000 bushels of corn at an average of 55¢ a bushel, while in 1897 we sold 176,916,000 bushels at less than 31¢ a bushel. The low price of wheat last year made a difference of \$20,000,000 in the value of wheat exports compared with 1892. Last year's lower prices for corn, flour, oats and cotton entailed a loss of \$100,000,000 compared with 1892, so that our exports for 1897 really exceeded those of the exceptionally favorable period five years ago. Our total foreign trade for the year ending June 30, 1897, was \$1,816,360,996, which has been exceeded only in 1892, when the total reached \$1,857,680,610.

UNITED STATES SENATOR W. J. Denon in a recent interview in Louisville stated that there was no doubt at all in his mind as to the result of the campaign in Kentucky. He said that he thought that Bailey would beat Slackford by a neat majority. In his calculations, he counts upon Parker carrying the full Populist vote—about 20,000, or a little over. He said that he also expects to see Hindman poll the votes of about 30,000 sound money Democrats. Speaking of the western part of the state, from which he hails, Dr. Debow said that the people were changing their political positions very materially. He said that many of the silverites had parted company with the Democratic party for good, and had cast their fortunes with the Populists. The good crops and the return of prosperity had cured most people of their financial heresies, and many men who had last year shied and voted for Bryan, would this year either vote for Hindman or for Bailey.

THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATS. In a spirit of commendation for the performance of a duty to self and country on the part of the National Democrats, the New York Tribune says:

"It is refreshing to learn that the National Democrats of Nebraska will follow in the lead of their brethren in Ohio and Kentucky and continue the war begun a year ago at Indianapolis on the heresies of the Chicago platform. Unlike the sound-money Democrats of Pennsylvania, they see in fusion on 'local issues' only a half-way step toward an ultimate surrender to Bryanism, and Bryanism is still vital and meaningful an issue in Nebraska to admit postponing the fight against it until some more convenient year. A little Western back-home seems to be the thing of which the National Democratic organization stands just now in sore need.

THE COST OF TELEPHONES. Nothing better illustrates the impositions to which the American people are subjected in all matters of public convenience than the following from Walter Wellman, who writes from Sweden:

"There are some things they do much better here than we do in America, and the telephone is one of them. I venture to say there are more telephones in Stockholm than in any other city of the world in proportion to population. Nineteen thousand is the number of subscribers in this city of a quarter of a million souls. Nor is it surprising that the number is so great, as one may have a telephone in his house at a cost of \$10 a year. In addition to the 19,000 telephones in the city system there are 2,500 instruments in the suburban towns, towns, many of them forty or fifty miles distant, which city subscribers may call up without extra charge. To one who is assessed \$110 a year for a telephone in Washington and is besides compelled to pay 10 cents every time he wishes to call up his own office from another phone, there appears a striking contrast between the telephone charges of the American and the Swedish capitals."

A SAD SURPRISE INDEED. The Chicago "Tribune" calls attention to a matter that should interest every American citizen—the condition of Lincoln's tomb. The " Tribune" says:

The country will hear with surprise that the tomb of Abraham Lincoln at Springfield is neglected by the authorities of Illinois. Of course, the people of Illinois are not aware to this fact, or they would demand immediate attention to the matter. The once splendid monument is in a dilapidated condition, and some of the masonry threatens to fall down. Rain penetrates the roof, and has colored the ceilings and walls. The walls leading to the tomb are out of repair, and when a visitor is taken inside he hears an apology for the numerous evidences of coming ruin. It is absurd to suppose that the state of Illinois finds the proper care of this great National landmark burdensome. The thousands of patriotic citizens who contributed to it never thought of such a possibility. There has been official and legislative neglect of the monument, and it has become disgraceful. It can not be remedied too quickly for the credit of those whom the people will hold responsible.

Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) represented his own state of Nebraska as one of the marshals of the great inaugural parade at Washington last March. He was easily the most distinguished appearing equestrian of the thousands who rode between the White House and the

Capitol.

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Nothing so sets the blood tingling through men's veins as a contest of speed. It does not matter whether the contestants be men or animals. One will naturally take sides with some one of them, and his "side" is his own just as much as though he was himself one of those engaged in the struggle for supremacy. So it is that the hippodrome forms one of the most thrilling, generally exciting and principal features of the modern big tented amusement. Consequently, the managers have paid special attention to this important department. He has imported more than a score of fine blooded racing stock ever brought to America, including many pure-bred Arabian steeds, noted for their fleetness of foot. The enormous canvas is absolutely water proof, and is the largest ever constructed, making it possible to have a race course fully a quarter of a mile in length, or four laps to the mile. Around this splendid course the men and horses dash along at the very feet of the spectators, and its length enables them to attain and maintain the highest possible rate of speed. There are races of all kinds, ancient and modern, between horses, men, animals, and when they are not terrific they are very funny, ludicrously funny, exciting rounds of applause and continual laughter.

One special feature that we desire to call attention to, and one that is presented by no other tented amusement enterprise, is a race between an elephant, ridden by the only riding elephant, "Wallisker," and a man on foot. It is not only a decided novelty, but the most exciting of all hippodrome races, whether ancient or modern. The magnificent street parade is a solid mile of glittering golden tableau wagons, chariots, mounted knights and ladies, and numerous novelties never before seen in this country. There are ten kinds of music, steam calliope, Scottish bagpipes, a horn of elephants, canaries and led animals. Vedock makes two backward dives daily from the top of a web-like structure that is one hundred feet high, and is free to all. Taken all in all these shows are the grandest and best the world has ever known, and their visit to Paducah on Thursday, September 23d, will be the most memorable event ever known in the history of McCracken county.

**W. C. T. U. OFFICERS.**

Mrs. Eugenia Gilbert Is Elected President.

The Officers Chosen Yesterday for the Ensuing Year.

The W. C. T. U. met yesterday afternoon at the Cumberland Presbyterian church and elected officers for the ensuing year. A move is on foot, it is understood, to provide comfortable stools for the motorists, which innovation would no doubt be appreciated.

**LADY AGENTS.**

There Are Three on the Louisville Division of the Illinois Central.

The Illinois Central has three lady agents on the Louisville division, instead of one, as stated yesterday.

Miss Dixie Whittinghill, a charming young woman of Rosina, a station near Horse Branch is, in full charge of the office there, and is regarded as one of the most efficient and energetic agents on the system.

Miss Maggie Harrington, a girl of 16, is agent at Mudragh, although the agency is in the name of her father, Mr. Silas Harrington. She attends to all the business of the company herself, and personally is a typical mountain beauty, fresh and rosy, and a general favorite with all who know her.

The third lady agent is Mrs. Lilian Strickland, recently put in charge of the office at Prayburg, Graves county.

**SHORT SESSION.**

Was That of the School Board Last Night.

Last night's session of the school board was brief, and four of the members were absent.

Supt. McBroom reported that the Lee and Mechanicsburg buildings were crowded.

Supt. McBroom and the school committee were instructed to take what steps they deemed necessary towards relieving the crowded condition of the schools.

The half day's session matter was mentioned and referred to Supt. McBroom for settlement, but the board signified its opposition to reducing, even temporarily, the school hours.

**STREET CAR IMPROVEMENTS.**

All the Cars to be Painted the Same Color.

When the consolidation of the two street car companies is finally and completely effected, the cars will all be painted the same color.

The company contemplates, in the near future, erecting repair and paint shops, where the necessary repairing and painting will all be done.

The plant will in all probability be located on Second street where the People's company power house now stands.

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**IS NOW AN ELK.**

City Editor Harris Dons the Horns.

City Editor George Harris, of the "Register," last night became an Elk. It was an event long anticipated by the local fraternity, and for several hours the jolly fellows held high carnival with him.

The new list is as follows:

Mrs. Eugenia Gilbert President; Mrs. Will Byrd, Vice President; Mrs. J. R. Puryear, Treasurer; Frank Dunn, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Rowena Rivers, Corresponding Secretary.

The superintendents of the various departments will be selected at the next meeting.

New officers are among Paducah's best known Christian and charity workers, and were well selected.

**POLICE COURT.**

Bartender and Beer Glass Figure Therein.

There were but two cases in police court this morning.

Mike Gallagher, a saloon keeper, was charged with striking Joe Smith, of the county, with a beer glass. The difficulty occurred last night in Gallagher's saloon and the defendant claimed Smith first attempted to strike him with a glass. The evidence was conflicting and Judge Sanders left the case open.

John Thompson, a trap printer, was fined \$1 for drunkenness, but on condition that he leave town the judgment was suspended.

**REV. DIETERLE ACCEPTS**

The German Evangelical Pastor.

Will Assume Charge on Sunday, Sept. 26th.

Rev. J. Dieterle, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who was recently called to the pulpit of the German Evangelical church, has notified the congregation of his acceptance, and will arrive in time to preach Sunday a week.

Owing to his family arrangements, he has been unable to reach here sooner, and his family will probably accompany him.

Rev. Dieterle is a gentleman of great ability, and in his trial sermon delivered at the church two weeks ago made such a good impression that he was forthwith called.

The handsome Fifth street church has been without a pastor since the resignation of Rev. O. W. Breckinridge two months ago.

**SUDEN SLUMP.**

The Mercury Takes a Long Ex-

pected Tumble.

It Was Fifty-Nine at a Minimum, This Morning.

A sudden abatement in the almost insufferable heat of the past several days came last evening and was all the more perceptible through contrast. It was a great relief to the sweltering masses, despite the disappointing

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that are more intelligent and more practical than the agitators are.

The quantity of dust with which the farmers of the county have recently had to contend is almost past comprehension. It is reported, on reliable authority, that after vehicles started in the early morning for the city, and had well stirred up the dust, it was often the case that a man could not for miles see his own horse in front of him. This was amply possible, considering the amount of dust and the absence of any breeze to carry it off. And the state of affairs detailed above is of vastly more consequence than might be imagined at first thought, for a great many residents of the county who had produced or were to sell, or who desired to come to the city to make purchases, forewent the necessity and remained at home, rather than venture out on the highway and encounter such clouds of stinging dust.

From one of the daily papers that are constantly endeavoring to provoke the workingmen into an open contest with the capitalists that provide their wages I condense the following consequences of a general strike that may be ordered in sympathy with any body of laborers that are unable to force their employers to come to terms, says the "Emmett in Town Topics." No cars, ferries nor elevators would be run; the gas and electric lights would be turned off; the telegraph and telephone services would be suspended; all factories would be closed; building and repairs of buildings would cease; bread, clothing and shoes would not be made; no performances would be given at the theatres; only the fire department would continue to work, and policemen would continue at work, and the whole country would be desolated. This picture of the tremendous power of the labor organizations when acting simultaneously in support of some threatened industry has only one gleam of light—the daily papers could not be published if the printers' union took part in the sympathetic strike. But the agitators that are trying to bring about this condition of affairs, in order to intimidate the mine owners, neglect to add that the workingmen would be the real sufferers. When labor stopped wages would stop. Rich men could drive in their carriages if no cars were run; could use candles for lighting purposes, and could have bread baked in their own houses; but what would become of the poor strikers and their families? Fortunately, the majority of the labor organizations are controlled by men

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Somewhat later, a sage who likely possessed a degree of intelligence in force equal to that of the previously mentioned creature, discovered that drinking from a communion cup in church was likewise injurious, because it served as a disseminator of microbes. Such a commotion did he stir up in Cairo, that the fashionable and ultra-fashionable straightaway provided themselves with individual cups, and declined to longer mix their own peculiar microbes with the hepatic microbes of someone else. So much for that.

It has now been discovered that standing in a street car is highly injurious to the health, and as a consequence there has been inaugurated in many places a crusade to frustrate this ungodly means of menacing one's delicate constitution. The erratic genius who promulgated this last theory claims that a car full of people fairly teems with disease germs and microbes, and that a person venturing into one emerges with a breed as varied and versatile as the dears of a strange canine in a village dog fight. Thus the world rolls merrily on, and we learn something new most every day.

It is a matter of serious congratulation, however, that most of us have seen so few of these miniature monsters called microbes and know so little about what dreadful harm they do us!

The sports from Paducah who attended the Cairo races this week allost without exception denominated them the most palpable "skin-game" ever perpetrated on a helpless public.

This Cherokee fake is the latest journalistic farce. Just what paper first published the statement that 120 Cherokee were to march through Kentucky is in doubt, and although the evening "News" here has never claimed the distinction, it is extremely probable that it is entitled to it, for when it comes to fakes pure and simple, and of any

siduously circulating the report that the pipes are too small in most instances people who don't know a sewerage system from a Hardshell revival. Their ignorance is the best proof that they don't know what they are talking about.

**NOTICE!—CHANGE OF VOTING PRECINCT.**

I, Charles E. Graham, clerk of the McCracken county court, certify that at a regular term of said court, held on the 11th day of September, 1897, the following order was entered of record, to wit:

The matter of changes necessary to be made in several voting precincts in this county again coming before the court under a former order continuing said matter, it is ordered and adjudged by the court as follows:

Precinct No. 2, in district No. 1, be and the same is hereby changed, and the boundary thereof shall as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Island creek extended and the line of corporate limits on the east bank of the Ohio river; thence with the center line of Island creek extended across the Ohio and Tennessee rivers to the west bank of the Tennessee river; thence with the center line of Island creek to a point where the center line of Fifth street extended would intersect said line of Island creek; thence down said center of Fifth street to the center line of Jackson street; thence with the center line of Jackson street to the Tennessee river; thence with said center line extended across the Tennessee and Ohio rivers to its intersection with the line of corporate limits of the east bank of the Ohio river; thence up the bank of the Ohio river with line of corporate limits to the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Chalk's grocery.

That precinct No. 3 in said district No. 1 be and the same is hereby changed, and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Fifth and Jackson streets; thence westwardly with the center line of Jackson street to Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street extended to center of Island creek; thence down said creek to Fifth street; thence with the center line of Fifth street to its intersection with Jackson street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct No. 3 shall be at Digel's paint shop.

That a new voting precinct be and the same is hereby established in said district No. 1, the same to be designated as precinct No. 20, and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Fifth and Jackson streets; thence westwardly with the center line of Jackson street to Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street extended to center of Island creek; thence down said creek to Fifth street; thence with the center line of Fifth street to its intersection with Jackson street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Schmidt's grocery.

That precinct No. 8 in District No. 4 be and the same is hereby changed, and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Monroe street if extended, and the line of corporate limits on east bank of Ohio river; thence down the line of corporate limits to a point where Burnett street if extended, would intersect it; thence west with center line of Burnett street extended to the west bank of Ohio river; thence with center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Eighth street; thence down the center line of Eighth street to its intersection with Monroe street; thence with the center line of Monroe street to the place of beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at the Plow Factory.

That a new voting place be and the same is hereby established in said District No. 4, the same to be designated as Precinct No. 21, and the boundary thereof is as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Harris streets; thence out the center line of Harris street to its intersection with Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street to its intersection with Boyd street; thence with the center line of Boyd street to its intersection with Twelfth and Trimble streets; thence with the center line of Twelfth street to its intersection with Bernheim avenue; thence with the center line of Bernheim avenue to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with Burnett street to its intersection with Trimble street; thence with the center line of Trimble street and the Hinkleveille road to the line of corporate limits; thence with the corporate limits to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Eighth street; thence with the center line of Eighth street to its intersection with Harris street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Len Faxon's grocery store.

That Precinct No. 9, in said district No. 4 be and the same is hereby changed and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Harris streets; thence out the center line of Harris street to its intersection with Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street to its intersection with Boyd street; thence with the center line of Boyd street to its intersection with Twelfth street; thence with the center line of Twelfth street to its intersection with Bernheim avenue; thence with the center line of Bernheim avenue to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Trimble street; thence with the center line of Trimble street and the Hinkleveille road to the line of corporate limits; thence with the corporate limits to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Eighth street; thence with the center line of Eighth street to its intersection with Harris street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Len Faxon's grocery store.

That Precinct No. 10, in said district No. 4 be and the same is hereby changed and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Harris streets; thence out the center line of Harris street to its intersection with Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street to its intersection with Boyd street; thence with the center line of Boyd street to its intersection with Twelfth street; thence with the center line of Twelfth street to its intersection with Bernheim avenue; thence with the center line of Bernheim avenue to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Trimble street; thence with the center line of Trimble street and the Hinkleveille road to the line of corporate limits; thence with the corporate limits to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Eighth street; thence with the center line of Eighth street to its intersection with Harris street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Len Faxon's grocery store.

That Precinct No. 11, in said district No. 4 be and the same is hereby changed and the boundary thereof shall be as follows: Beginning at the intersection of Eighth and Harris streets; thence out the center line of Harris street to its intersection with Tenth street; thence with the center line of Tenth street to its intersection with Boyd street; thence with the center line of Boyd street to its intersection with Twelfth street; thence with the center line of Twelfth street to its intersection with Bernheim avenue; thence with the center line of Bernheim avenue to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Trimble street; thence with the center line of Trimble street and the Hinkleveille road to the line of corporate limits; thence with the corporate limits to its intersection with Burnett street; thence with the center line of Burnett street to its intersection with Eighth street; thence with the center line of Eighth street to its intersection with Harris street, the beginning; and the voting place in said precinct shall be at Len Faxon's grocery store.

In reply to the innumerable questions that are daily asked in regard to the size of the sewerage pipes, it might be said that no one knows whether they are large enough or not—unless it is the contractor. It is probable, however, that they are adequately commodious, as Mr. White, the contractor, is a man who has had years of experience in the construction of sewerage, and doubtless knows what he is doing. He is under heavy bond to perform his duties well and faithfully, and probably would not put down a pipe that there was any probability of proving too small. And those people who are as

place of beginning; and the voting place in said precinct No. 9 shall be the brick building corner Tenth and Clay streets.

And the Clerk of this Court is hereby directed to give notice of the establishment and changes in the precincts effected by the change in all respects as required by law, and as directed in a former order of this court.

Given under my hand as clerk of the McCracken county court this eleventh day of September, 1897.

CHAS. E. GRAHAM, Clerk.

**COLORED DEPARTMENT.**

To all friends of the cause of Christ we ask you to help us in our struggle at the First Ward Baptist church. We must make a personal sacrifice for the sake of the cause of Christ and fallen humanity. Let me hear the Christian say, "I will go, I will go." W. E. Glover, pastor.

There will be a grand entertainment given by the sisters of the First Ward Baptist church Monday evening, Sept. 20, for the benefit of the church. We cordially invite the members of all the sister churches in the city. And likewise all of our friends are invited.

MRS. SMITH MITCHERSON,  
MRS. HERRON,  
MRS. ETHEL REEVES,  
MRS. SARAH BRADLEY,  
REV. M. E. GLOVER,  
1782 Pastor.

On Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Henry Sims, 318 Eleventh street, Misses Ida Curd, Marie Lindsay, Mary Ann Clark and Merle Cherry entertained a number of friends in honor of Miss Scola Woods, of Memphis, Tenn., who is visiting Miss Ida Curd. After enjoying music both vocal and instrumental, games and quite a number of other pleasant amusements belonging to socials, the guests were escorted to the refreshment table where ice cream, lemon sherbet, cakes, candies nuts and a number of other sweet morsels were served. After luncheon, all thanking the above named committee for such a pleasant evening, began taking their departure. Those present were: Misses Scola Woods, of Memphis, Ida Curd, Fannie Granger, Marie Lindsay, Mary Ann Clark, Myrtle Cherry, Lena McCullough, Mamie McCauley, Annie Dickinson, Matilda Ridgway, Florence Miller, Messrs. Geo. Robinson, Zeke Grundy, Moses Copeland, Arlie Cherry, Chas Gaines, Will T. Cherry, Will Lindsay, John Hale, Blith Curd, and a number of others whose names have not been learned.

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FOR WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, Sept. 20, ONLY, FREE a bottle of Hoyt's best perfume with every \$1.00 purchase.  
All our 85 cent ladies' gowns, trimmed with lace and fine tucks, for 50c.  
100 pairs fine lace curtains, worth \$1.50, go this week for 75 cents.  
All our \$1.00 infants' fine silk caps go this week for 50 cents.  
All our \$1.00 fine silks, consisting of fancy stripes, fancy brocades and Persian effects go this week for 50 cents.  
All our \$2.00 and \$3.00 fine twilled silk umbrellas go this week for \$1.00 and \$1.50.  
100 pairs ladies' fine kid gloves. These gloves never sold for less than \$1.25. Our price this week 50 cents. Gray only.  
In military we are strictly leaders. Ask to see our new 50 cent felt walking hats. The noblest and best 50 cent hat on the market, and all sizes. All colors. A nice lot of ladies' and children's trimmed hats, while they last, they go for 50 cents.  
All our \$1.50 and \$2.00 Hair Switches go this week for 75c and \$1.00.  
All our 50 cent Colored Hair Switches go this week for 25 cents.  
A large lot of colored bags worth 50c go this week for 25c.  
We make a specialty of fine bangs and waves. Remember the place.

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## LOCAL MENTION.

### HOOKED BY A COW.

Serious Injury Received by a Marshall County Man.

A fishing party composed of Mr. Z. H. Bryant and sons, Messrs. Si and Joe Bryant, Conductor H. G. Thompson, Major Ed Pearson and "Senator" Ed Lambdin, returned this morning from a week's stay at one of the lakes.

### MORE CIRCUS MEN.

It is safe to venture that Paducah never presented a more gaudy appearance than now. She is fairly ablaze with lithographs of Buffalo Bill, Robinson & Franklin's circus and a dramatic company, and the bill posters still come.

Today the following force arrived to put up the last paper for Robinson's circus: W. J. Hutchings, Geo. M. Rose, B. Perreto, John Powell, and C. Wright.

### LOADED SHELLS.

Large shipment just received loaded with smokeless powder.

1752 HANK BROS. & JONES.

### BURIED IN CALLOWAY.

The remains of Mrs. Ida L. Denman, from Owensboro, were carried through the city today and taken to Dexter, Calloway county, for interment.

### FOR SALE.

New \$100 phaeton will sell for \$45. Big bargain. Apply at SUN office.

**THE MECHANIC BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION** meetings are now held at the SUN office instead of Quigley & Boone.

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To Be Back Tax Collector.

Mr. Will Farley, the popular young attorney, will in all probability succeed Col. Hubbard as back tax collector. He is well qualified for the place, and the council would doubtless favor his candidacy.

**CAMPBELL-MULVILHILL COAL COMPANY** will fill your coal house now cheaper than anyone. Call and make contract.

### SOLD BOOZE.

Dr. Edwards, Specialty, Eyes, Ear, Nose and Throat, Paducah Ky.

### DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL.

Special attention is given to arithmetic and writing, as well as the business department at the Smith Business College, corner Third and Madison streets. No classes. Any age admitted. Students can enter at any time.

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"The public like to be humbugged," is one of the most frequently quoted sayings. That may have been so years ago, but it is not true in all particulars at least, especially in the matter of public entertainments. The public has learned to discriminate and will not be content now with anything that is not real and of the best quality. The phenomenal success of Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World has proven that proposition beyond a doubt. It is in every element the real thing, and the public has proved its appreciation by bestowing upon it a patronage quite unparalleled by any sort of another exhibition. Col. Cody has been before the public fourteen years as an entertainer and educator, but he is not yet a showman in the sense of considering it necessary to impose any humbug, or even a make-shift in lieu of reality. Anyone who attends his Wild West exhibitions when they will be given here on Tuesday, Oct. 5, will realize the truthfulness and force of this statement.

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All kinds of loaded shells containing both black and smokeless powder.

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**BENTON NEWSPAPER CHANGES.**

The Benton "Tribune" with today's issue, passes into the hands of Messrs. Louis E. Dodd and U. R. Waller, Prof. T. H. May retiring.

Prof. T. H. May goes from Benton to another, his former home, to seek a position on the Owensboro "Messenger." Prof. May says the paper business is his chosen pro-

ject.

Friends can't keep two for

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E. W. Bock.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. Will Barnhill has returned to the city.

Col. H. H. Houston was in Benton yesterday.

Capt. T. G. Ryman, Jr., of Nashville, is in the city.

Mr. R. J. Waters, of Murray, is at the Palmer.

Mr. M. D. Holton, of Mayfield, is in the city today.

Miss Alice B. Camper, of Chicago, is at the Palmer.

Mr. E. C. Gish, of the city, is visiting in St. Louis.

Mr. E. Royster, Jr., of Owensboro, is at the Palmer.

Mr. Monroe Bouyonson, of Vicksburg, is in the city.

The C. K. & L. of A. will meet at Cecilia Hall tonight.

Detective John Thompson has gone to Creel for his health.

The Misses Folz returned last evening from Nashville.

Mr. Hite D. Bowman, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Mrs. Carrie Johnson, of North Fifth, is on the sick list.

Mr. R. J. Chitwood, the St. Louis grocer, is at the Palmer.

Maurice M. Berger, traveling out of New York, is at the Palmer.

Miss Kathie Plumb, who has been ill of malarial fever, is convalescent.

Mr. J. K. Bondurant went up the I. C. on business this morning.

Mr. W. H. Brian's condition is today unchanged, and is almost critical.

Charles Sugars and Jim Nagel have returned from the Nashville Centennial.

Col. Will C. Leech, of Cripple Creek, Colo., arrived this morning on a visit.

Mrs. Anders and daughter, Miss Edith, of Unionville, were in the city last evening.

Mr. Henry Rehkopf is confined to his room suffering from blood poisoning on his ankle.

Mrs. E. S. Ferguson and children, of Mandeville, La., are guests of Mrs. A. E. Given.

Deputy U. S. Marshal La Rue went to Calvert City this morning on Government business.

Mrs. Adalie Teal and children, of Bardwell, are guests of Mrs. Charles Halliday, on Clark street.

Mr. John H. Zorn left this morning for Portsmouth, O., where he is engaged in directory work.

Col. John L. Parham came down from Marion this morning, and left this afternoon for Knoxville.

Dr. C. B. Shelton and family from Bardwell, passed through at noon en route home from Louisville.

Mr. Chas. Grassham, of Smithland, sound money nominee for commonwealth's attorney is in the city today.

The reverable mother of Mr. Steve Menard is critically ill at her home near the city, on the Cairo road.

Mrs. Julia McKenzie, of Fort Worth, Texas, will arrive today on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Will Kidd.

Miss Maggie Campbell, of Pittsburg, Pa., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Sleeth, on South Sixth street.

Rev. Warner Moore, sr., of Mayfield, Rev. Warner Moore, jr., of Benton, and Mr. John Landrum, of Mayfield, came up this morning to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Chas. Roth.

Joining the Ratcliffe farm, I walked all the way in, bare-footed, clad in domestic breeches stained with maple, and remembered that every tree was so full of spectators that it bent almost to breaking."

Other old inhabitants remember the hanging as the first legal execution in Paducah.

FUNERAL TODAY.

Remains of Mr. Charles Roth consigned to their last resting place.

Supt. McBroom has been busy today relieving the teachers whose rooms are crowded. Some of Prof. Fox's eighth grade pupils have been sent up to Miss Morgan, and one of the teachers of the Third district will be sent to Mechanicsburg.

Workmen will begin repairing the Mechanicsburg building today.

Supt. McBroom stated to a SUN reporter that he would take no action in regard to having half-day sessions so long as the weather remains this cool.

SPECIAL EXCURSION

From Calloway, Marshall and McCracken Counties, Ky., to Tennessee Centennial.

There will be a band concert at La Belle Park.

The ladies are hard at work to make "Trolley Day" a success, and today Dean's band was engaged to furnish the music for the day.

In the evening at La Belle park there will be a first-class band concert.

COL. W. F. CODY (Buffalo Bill), the American hero of romance and reality, will be here on Tuesday, October 5th. He will bring his world-famous Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World. No one doubts that this is altogether the most entertaining exhibit in so far devised for the public. Its popularity seems to be on the increase rather than upon the wane. No wonder. Everyone realizes that without Buffalo Bill there can be no genuine exhibition of this sort, and to our children's children such an entertainment it can only be a tradition, and to ourselves, in our old age, it can only be at best a pleasant memory. It will be almost a bounden duty to witness this sterling exhibition.

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New co... honey in pound racks.

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## To the Public:

Many of our customers have asked the question, "Why don't you move on Broadway, as you have as nice and as large a stock as anybody?"

Now we must answer the question. A store on Broadway means a finer store—higher floor, finer fixtures, more clerks, more lights, etc. This all means more profit, and you have to pay for it.

Here are some Court street prices:

### SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Men's fine dress shoes, Broadway price \$3.50 to \$5.00—our price, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Men's everyday shoes, Broadway price, \$1.50—our price, \$1.00.

Ladies' fine dress kid shoes, Broadway price, \$2.50 to \$3.50—our price, \$2.00.

Ladies' nice everyday shoes, 75¢ and \$1.00.

Boys' school shoes, Broadway price, \$1.50—our price, \$1.00.

Children's shoes, 25c, 50c and 75c.

Misses' spring heel shoes, black and tan, 75c.

Boys' knee pants, 25c, 35c, 50c, and tan, 75c.

We want to close out our Furniture, Carpets, etc., and will give you some bargains. A full line of Underwear, Overshirts, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Umbrellas, Dry Goods, etc.

## PADUCAH AUCTION CO.

Third and Court.

We keep open till 10 o'clock every evening—Saturday till 12.

### FORTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Of Paducah's First Legal Hanging.

Thomas Jefferson, an Indian, Hanged 41 Years Ago Today.

Forty-one years ago today, on Sept. 17, 1856, Thomas Jefferson, an Indian, was hanged near the river bank where the Illinois Central incline now stands.

The hanging was witnessed by hundreds of people and Jefferson exonerated one of the most heinous crimes having laidway and ravished a girl near the city while she was on her way to school.

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Dr. Talmage denies Report He Is Going to Leave Washington.

Dr. T. Dewitt Talmage was interviewed the other day and asked: "Is the report that you are dissatisfied with your settlement in Washington and that you will not return in the autumn and that you will probably go to Chicago true?"

Dr. Talmage replied: "No. That story from top to bottom and from stem to stern is a falsehood. I have no idea of leaving the church in Washington.

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